

LEGISLATIVE DOINGS

Senator Perkins Receives a Set Back

In His Efforts to be Elected United States Senator.

He and DeYoung Both at the Same Hotel in Sacramento.

The Senate Confirms all of Gov. Markham's Appointments.

The Name of Mose Gunts Presented, but Withdrawn Before Action was Taken.

Proceedings in the Senate.

SACRAMENTO, January 8.—The gubernatorial contention cropped out in the Senate this morning the first thing after that body was called to order. Seawell (D.) offered a concurrent resolution calling for a joint session of the Senate and Assembly tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of canvassing and publishing the election returns for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor.

Orr (R.) was on his feet at once with a motion to lay the motion on the table. Voorhies (R.) spoke in favor of laying on the table. He said it had been agreed among the Republicans that a resolution similar in purport was to be introduced in the Assembly today and it was desired to act upon the Assembly resolution.

Seawell argued that it was proper that such a resolution should emanate from the Senate, and he urged the adoption of his resolution. The resolution to lay on the table pre-

vailed, however, by a vote of 22 to 17. Gleaves, Hallaway and Shippee voted with the Democrats.

The appointments made by Governor Markham during the last two years past were also laid before the Senate for confirmation.

The message of Governor Markham was made the special order for 2 o'clock this afternoon. Then after the installation of minor attaches, a recess was taken to that hour.

At the opening of the afternoon session of the Senate, Governor Markham's message was read and ordered printed and referred to a committee of seven to be segregated and referred to proper committees.

All of the appointments made by Governor Markham during the past two years were continued. There was not a dissenting vote as to any appointment.

The two concurrent resolutions from the Assembly, the first providing for a joint session at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon to canvass the vote for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, and the second, authorizing the appointment of a committee of three members from each house to wait upon Governor-elect Budd and arrange with him for his inauguration were unanimously adopted.

Lieutenant-Governor Reddick appointed Senators Langford, Orr and Beard to confer with the Governor-elect.

Senators Bert, Earl, Androus, Hart, Seawell, Gesford and McAlister were appointed to segregate Governor Markham's message.

At 3:15 o'clock the Senate adjourned.

In the Assembly.

SACRAMENTO, January 9.—The first business of the Assembly this morning was to receive Governor Markham's last message, which was presented by the Governor's secretary at 11 o'clock. The reading of the message was dispensed with and 1000 copies were ordered printed for the use of the members.

Thomas presented a concurrent resolution providing for the meeting of the Senate and Assembly at 2 p. m. tomorrow for the purpose of canvassing and publishing the returns of the election for Governor and Lieutenant Governor. It was adopted without a dissenting vote.

Immediately afterward Brusie of Sacramento presented a concurrent resolution which probably settled the gubernatorial contention for all time. The resolution provides for the appointment of a joint committee of three members from each house to confer with the Governor-elect and Lieutenant-Governor-elect for the purpose of perfecting arrangements for their inauguration. The resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote.

After a bill had been used appropriating \$15,000 for the current expenses of the Legislature, Speaker Lynch announced the Committee on

Rules—Dinkelspiel, chairman—and a recess was taken till 2 o'clock.

When the House reassembled at 2 o'clock the contest of McDonald's seat by Collins (R.), from the Forty-ninth district, Alameda county, was announced by Speaker Lynch.

The economical members of the Assembly asserted themselves by refusing to suspend the rules under which it was sought to appropriate \$15,000 for the current expenses of the Legislature. It was shown that over \$18,000 still remains of a similar appropriation made two years ago.

At 2:45 o'clock Speaker Lynch appointed Brusie, Dinkelspiel and Langenour as members of the joint committee to wait upon Mr. Budd, and the Assembly adjourned.

Death of the Duke.

Howard Shaw, who was familiarly known as the "Duke of San Pablo Avenue," died at his home yesterday morning of typhoid pneumonia. He has been ill for about a month, and his friends believed that he stood a good chance to recover. His disease took a sudden change, however, and he quickly passed away. The deceased was the successor of Tony Oakes at Haywards and opened Shaw's Tavern. His venture in this line did not prove a success and he was plunged into numerous lawsuits. Shaw then established a place on the San Pablo road outside the city limits, and it became known as Shawville. The Duke made it a resort for those passing along the road.

A short time ago Mrs. Evay, the mother of Mrs. Shaw, died, leaving an estate valued at \$120,000. In her will she left this daughter property valued at \$60,000. The estate is now in the course of probate and the daughter was soon to come into possession. Just as the Duke saw prosperity and a fortune ahead of him he was stricken down with pneumonia and died. The deceased leaves a widow and two children. The funeral will take place tomorrow from Sacred Heart Church, Temescal.

Looking for a Play.

Mrs. M. B. Curtis, the wife of the actor who is known to fame as Sam'l of Posen, has arrived from the East and is at the Occidental Hotel.

"Mr. Curtis is in London. I had a cablegram from him," she said, "in which he said that he had arrived and was well. I shall join him in about six weeks. Oh, I wish it were only ten days. He has gone to London to endeavor to secure a new play. We have been playing 'Posen' now for fourteen years, and though it went well last season one could hardly expect people to come to see it again. Even in the dead of summer in New York city last season we did an excellent business for eight weeks. There are many friends of Mr. Curtis there and, of course, they all feel sorry for him because of that

great trouble, and I suppose they wanted to give him a lift.

"I am here now settling up our estate. You know, we are more or less in debt, for we have had great expenses. Fortunately, that affair is now all settled, although 'they' tried hard to prevent it. Yes, it was a hot encounter while it lasted, but I was in it all the time. Yes, indeed, I was in the fight. Now we intend to come back and live in California. I am now in negotiation for a piece of property in Berkeley, for which I intend to trade some other property. We shall make our home at Berkeley and shall probably be there during the summer, for the rest of the time we shall be on the road. I would not live in the East again for a great deal. We played last August in Minneapolis, and the heat was insufferable. I really believe I aged ten years during the season."

Only a Conference.

SACRAMENTO, January 9.—The Republican Legislators met to-night, not for the purpose of determining upon a candidate for Senator, but to discuss the situation. Some of those in attendance thought they had met for a regular caucus, but as the meeting developed it was soon discovered that they were present under a misapprehension.

The call for the caucus was signed by forty-three members of the Senate and Assembly. Of the members of those two bodies but thirty-eight responded to the call. The meeting was organized by the election of Senator J. M. Gleaves of Redding as chairman and Assemblyman C. M. Belshaw of Antioch as secretary.

Among those present were Senators Gleaves, Ford, Shippee, Shine, Pedlar, Denison, Earl, Beard, Smith, Simpson, Withington; Assemblymen Spencer, Cutter, Ash, Swisler, Price, Staley, Brusie, Belshaw, Jones, Ewing, Waymire, North, Berry, Rowell, Bull, Freeman, Guy and others.

Senator Ford stated the object of the meeting, as he understood it, was for the purpose of conference. He said that he had been informed and had attended the meeting for the purpose of conferring with his fellow-Republicans upon the Senatorial election. He did not understand that the meeting was to be a regular caucus and to do anything that would bind those who participated in its deliberations.

"I am ready for a caucus," said the Senator, "but I do not want to be drawn into one under a misapprehension. We, as I understand it, have met solely for the purpose of talking over the abilities of those who have been mentioned in connection with the Senatorial nomination, and we are not to be bound by any acts that we take tonight."

The question whether or not those who signed the call for the meeting were pledged to sustain its action was discussed. It was agreed, after much talk, that the call had been

signed through some misunderstanding, and that none of those whose names appeared on the call would be obligated by any action that might be taken.

Assemblyman Cutter, of Marysville, created a sensation by springing the pledge proposition upon the meeting. He said that a few of the legislators were pledged to vote for Perkins for Senator.

He for one did not want to go into a caucus unless he could agree to abide by whatever action might be taken. It was his opinion that unless a man was willing to abide by the decision of the majority the best thing to do was to keep out of all caucuses.

The question of pledges, or at least the binding qualities of such instruction, was generally discussed. Assemblyman Bulla, of Los Angeles, and Senator Earl, of Alameda county, were the most prominent speakers. It was finally agreed that when a Republican Senator or Assemblyman had voted on the first ballot in the caucus for the candidate for whom he was pledged, then he had complied with his instructions. Having done that he was then at liberty to vote independently of his instructions, and it will be his duty to vote in the joint session for the choice of the caucus.

Senator Earl was the only one who objected to such a ruling, and insisted that he would vote for Mr. Perkins, no matter what a caucus might decide. It was finally agreed to meet again tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, and an effort will then be made to agree upon the name of some one to present as Republican nominee for United States Senator.

Board of Regents.

The Board of Regents held its regular meeting yesterday in San Francisco. Eight Regents and President Kellogg were present. President Kellogg filed his report. Minor recommendations were acted upon. The degree of A. B. was conferred upon Miss H. F. Brewer of Oakland and the degree of B. L. upon Miss D. Hall. It was agreed to purchase a plaster bust of Senator Justin Morrill for one of the Agricultural halls of the University and \$45 was appropriated for that purpose.

Miss Anna W. Brewer was appointed as an assistant to Professor Brown in the department of pedagogy. President Kellogg was given the power to fill the vacancy of Professor Slate in the department of physics.

W. H. Bone left this afternoon for Sacramento, where he will attend the inauguration of Governor Budd tomorrow.

The public installation of the officers of the Berkeley Lodge No. 276 I. O. O. F. will take place this evening. It is strictly invitational.

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WE GUESS NOT.

Councilman Snell of Oakland is nothing if he is not sensational. About a year and a half ago he denounced the Railroad Company and wanted to pull up their tracks and in fact wipe them out of existence. This state of feeling did not last long and in a few weeks he was a staunch friend of the foe that he was previously going to annihilate. Since that time he has not been heard of much except when he wanted to be postmaster of Oakland, but Cleveland, much to the relief of the people of that city, refused to appoint him. He now bobs up with a plan to annex Berkeley and Alameda to Oakland, and says that he cannot see why these two cities refuse to come into the sheltering arms of Oakland, and thereby save taxes and other expenses. The people of Berkeley are not to be caught with such stuff, they want nothing of Oakland; they are slowly but surely getting some improvements made now, but in the event of annexing to Oakland all those things would cease. Oakland would take all we have got but they would give us but very little in return. Oh, no, Mr. Snell, we are not willing to be adopted just yet, as we have no faith in the proposed guardian.

IN A QUANDRY.

The news from Los Angeles in reference to the health of Lieutenant-Governor Millard is very contradictory. The press dispatches announce that he is improving, while the private dispatches received from Los Angeles state that he is a very sick man, and that there are grave doubts as to his recovery. This has caused a great deal of controversy as to who will succeed to his place in case he should die. Lieutenant-Governor Reddick holds that unless Mr. Millard takes the oath of office in the presence of both houses that he will hold the office for the next four years. Attorneys on the other hand claim that as Mr. Millard has taken the oath of office before a Superior Judge, he is now the Lieutenant-Governor and that in case of his death, Senator Flint, the President pro tem, would be the Lieutenant-Governor for the next four years. This then brings up another fine point. As Senator Flint is a Senator with two years to run it is claimed that he would be entitled to two votes. As a Senator he could not be deprived of his vote in that capacity and as Lieutenant-Governor he would have the deciding vote in case of a tie. A great many of the leading legal lights of the State have given this matter much thought but they all seem to be at sea in regard to the matter. Attorney General Fitzgerald has been called upon for

an opinion in the matter and it will be given tomorrow.

THE MESSAGE.

Governor Markham yesterday sent his last message to the Legislature, and asked that it be segregated and given to different committees, in order that it might be acted upon instead of being jammed into the waste basket. The document is well written and deals with all the different affairs of State. He is of the same opinion as Governor Budd in reference to the consolidation of the two State Prisons. He thinks that the San Quentin prison should be removed to Folsom, where under one set of officers and the saving in electric lights and in steam power would be a great saving to the State. He says that the cost of removing the prison would be about \$150,000, and that the property would easily sell for that amount, thereby taking nothing from the State Treasury. He favors a large appropriation for the State University, asking for \$500,000 for buildings in Berkeley, \$250,000 for buildings in San Francisco, and \$10,000 for the Forestry Commission in Berkeley. He thinks that a law should be passed whereby the University lands should be taxed, that is the unimproved lands, which consist of large blocks. He would like to have the mortgage tax bill amended, also the coyote bounty act repealed. The entire message is full of good suggestions, and it will undoubtedly be heeded by the members of the Legislature.

Madame Kohne, midwife and ladies' nurse, has removed from Fifth street and Bancroft way to her present residence, 1912 Fifth street, between University avenue and Bristol street. Persons requiring her services can inquire at Rutledge's drug store.

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2. Bonds of various counties of this State, and registered warrants of Douglas County, Oregon, and of City of Oakland.....	130,500.00
3. Bank premises and real estate taken for debt.....	80,482.68
4. Cash on hand.....	\$284,471.57
On deposit in banks in New York and San Francisco.....	57,827.09
5. Office furniture and fixtures.....	342,298.66
	3,500.00
Total.....	\$3,408,555.63

LIABILITIES.

1. To depositors.....	\$3,011,355.84
2. Capital stock paid in.....	300,000.00
3. Reserve and undivided profits.....	75,000.00
4. Taxes reserved.....	22,199.79
Total.....	3,408,555.63

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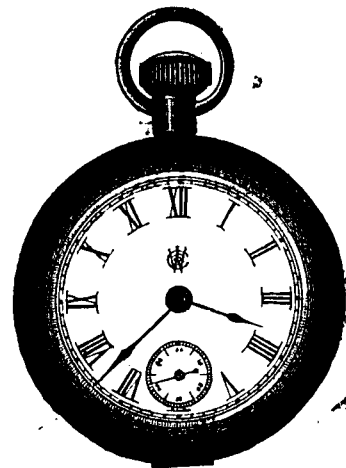
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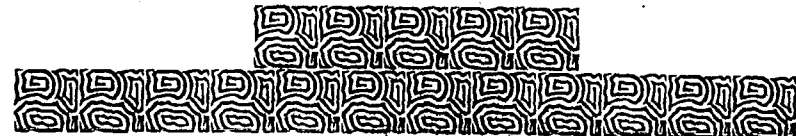
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Mrs. M. B. Curtis arrived in Berkeley yesterday from New York, and is looking after some property in Berkeley with a view of residing here.

At the regular meeting of the Good Government Club on Saturday evening next Professor William Carey Jones will make an address upon the Freeholders' charter.

John O. Hanscom, business manager of the GAZETTE, has been confined to his room for several days with an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. It is hoped that he will be able to get out again in a few day.

The trial of Johnston vs. Newell for the sale of several horses and wagons, occurred before the Superior Court in Oakland today and it took quite a number of the citizens of West Berkeley to Oakland as witnesses.

Charles Gompertz, one of the best known and genial young men in East Berkeley, has been given a position as copyist in the office of Charles Spear, County Recorder. The appointment gives general satisfaction.

The warrant for the arrest of A. D. Wilder has not been served, as he has been out on the road, but he has notified the court, Judge Shaw, that he will be on hand for trial on Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

The Crescent Athletic Club is planning an exhibition and entertainment, to come off in February. It expects to have the assistance of the Berkeley Orchestra and the University of California Glee Club.

Ben Buckley, the wild man of Sonoma county has gone to Sacramento for the purpose of getting the U. S. Senator. He is not the only wild man who has gone or is going there for the same purpose. There names are withheld for the present for obvious reasons.

Installation of Officers.

Last evening at Woodman Hall Court University No. 7915 Ancient Order of Foresters installed the new officers who had been chosen for the ensuing term.

The ceremony was performed by a member of the Post Chief Rangers Association of San Francisco and the officers installed were as follows:

Chief Ranger, R. W. Good; Past Chief Ranger, Howard Logan; sub-Chief Ranger, C. Frick; Financial Secretary, George N. Martin; Recording Secretary, C. K. Klein; Senior Woodward, Mr. Moulton; Junior Woodward, Mr. Hadley; Senior Beadle, Louis Guiguna; Junior Beadle, Robert Davis.

After the installation a grand banquet was served and a pleasant hour was spent in talking over lodge matters and in arranging for a more successful term during the coming year.

Equal Rights.

The following bills with their proper headings will be introduced into the Legislature by Frank McGowan of Humboldt:

Section 53.—Women of this State who have complied with the election laws thereof, who are of the age of 21 years and upwards, shall be entitled to vote at all elections and shall have the same rights and duties as male citizens.

Section 2.—This act shall take effect immediately.

Section 1.—Whenever the word elector appears in any of the existing statutes of this State the same shall include women citizens who have complied with the election laws thereof.

Section 2.—This act shall take effect immediately.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Estate of John A. Teitz et. al. by Martha Teitz, administratrix by Sheriff and Robert McKillican, Sheriff to E. Gand Maria G. Hammond, portion of lots 27 and 28, block 1, Berkeley View Homestead Association.

John D. and Emma J. Gray to L. L. Gray, lots 113 to 117, block 30 and lots 118 to 122, block 29, resub division of Peralta Park.

Telegraphic advices from Washington state that Berkeley will be made a free delivery office on the 1st of March and will start in with free carriers.

The case of William Edgar, deputy poundmaster, charged with stealing a dog, came up before Justice Shaw yesterday, and the defendant was discharged as it was shown that he caught the dog on the street.

The new office of Justice Shaw, on San Pablo and University avenues, is handsomely fitted up. A telephone will be put in so that when he is holding court in that portion of town he can be reached from East Berkeley.

Those who desire a firstclass performance should attend the Oriental Theater in Oakland. It is under the management of that veteran theatrical manager, Sam Mott, and he gives nothing but the best performances with firstclass people.

Boogar is Dead.

An account of the shooting of Philip Boogar, by his wife's father, appeared in the GAZETTE last evening. It is now our duty to chronicle the death of Mr. Boogar, which occurred yesterday noon.

The murderer is locked up in the County Jail and he refuses to talk on the subject of the shooting. When informed that his victim was dead he received it with perfect indifference and showed no emotion or contrition for his crime.

It is probable that he will use the plea of insanity in his trial and escape in the same manner that so many murderers cheat the gallows and also the law.

It is known that Boogar had made his will and had cut his wife off without a penny and this will in all probability cause a long and vexatious lawsuit before the matter is finally settled.

The announcement that Berkeley is to have a free delivery postal system has rejoiced the people of the town. They have been waiting for it during the last three years. Of the applicants examined for the appointment of carriers and clerks A. B. Taynton stood at the head of the list and will undoubtedly be tendered a position. He is at present attending the University and teaching the West Berkeley night school. It is not known how the other aspirants fared in their examination.

Joe Bergen, formerly a well known citizen of West Berkeley, died at the County Hospital yesterday. The deceased, who was suffering from a complication of diseases, was removed from West Berkeley to the County Hospital about six weeks ago. Very few who saw him when he left ever expected him to return.

Miss Della Sisterna will be tendered a birthday party at the home of her parents on the evening of January 19th. She will on that day have reached the seventeenth milestone of life. The GAZETTE tenders the young lady its heartiest congratulations upon this, to her, great event.

The Crescent Athletic Club met at their club rooms last evening and practiced several different things for their entertainment to be given on January 22nd. The grouping and forming of pyramids, under the direction of Professor Al. Lean, was one of the principal events of the evening.

Sam Borkheim was out with a subscription list this afternoon raising money to bury Joe Bergen, who died at the County Hospital, and thus prevent him from being buried in a pauper's grave; The deceased had no known relatives in this country, except a fifteen year old nephew in San Francisco.

This has been a glorious day, and it is to be hoped that we will now have several weeks of fine weather.

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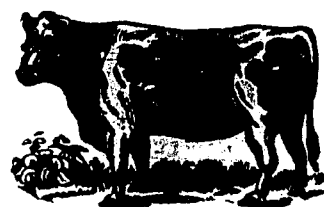
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